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(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE HON. SRI V. RAMAIAH: (a) & (b) The Government of India have requested this Government to consider the need for forming a State Flood Control Board and a State Technical Advisory Committee, if flood problems exist in this State, and the matter is under consideration.

* 446 Q.—SRI RAMA. ARANGANNAL (on behalf of Sri MUNU ADHI): Will the Hon. the Minister for Public Works be pleased to state—

(a) the total amount of donations received so far for the Chief Minister's Flood Relief Fund;

(b) the total amount distributed to the various flood affected areas and through whom; and

(c) the balance, at present?

THE HON. SRI V. RAMAIAH: (a) There is no such fund as Chief Minister's Flood Relief Fund, but when the Chief Minister and other Ministers went round the flood-affected areas in July 1961 to inspect the damages caused and also to organize relief measures, donations were received for flood relief work. The total donations received were Rs. 8,95,985-19 during the period from 10th July 1961 to 31st May 1962.

(b) A sum of Rs. 5,15,519-71 was utilized for relief measures as shown below:

	RS.	NP.
Amounts placed at the disposal of the Collectors for provision of well developed raised plots and for construction of embankments for protecting all villages—		
Tanjore	4,00,000-00	
Tiruchirappalli	1,00,000-00	
Amount paid to Sri Ramakrishna Mission, Madras, for organizing relief measures in Tirukattupalli and Thiruvayyaru areas	15,000-00	
Miscellaneous payments	519-71	
Total ...	5,15,519-71	

(c) The balance is Rs. 3,80,465-48. This amount remains deposited in the State Bank of India, Madras-1.

திரு. எம். எஸ். செல்வராஜன் : ஸார், சென்ற நவம்பரில் பெய்த மழை காரணமாக திருநெல்வேலியில் வெள்ளம் ஏற்பட்டு, அந்த மாவட்ட கலெக்டரிடமிருந்து அதுபற்றி ஏதாவது கோரிக்கை வந்ததா? அப்படியானால் அதன்மீது என்ன நடவடிக்கை எடுக்கப்பட்டது.

கனம் திரு. வெ. ராமையா : அப்படி ஒரு கோரிக்கையும் வரவில்லை.